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Dear Sir:

In response to the *Ex parte Quayle* Office Action mailed November 16, 2004, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.